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This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
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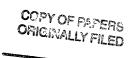
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Applications Papers dated September 20, 2001, enclosed herewith is a set of Formal Drawings. Also enclosed is a copy of the Notice to File Corrected Applications Papers Form.

Please charge the \$130 surcharge fee for filing of the Notice to File Corrected Applications Papers to Texas Instruments Incorporated, Deposit Account No. 20-0668. This sheet is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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